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This Washington Post poll was conducted by telephone January 31 to February 10 among a random national sample of 1,775 adults, including users of both conventional and cellular phones. Half of respondents were randomly assigned to form one of the questionnaire and the other half were assigned to form two. Form one responses are based on 875 interview and form two responses are based on 900 interviews. Results for form one and form two have a margin of sampling error of four percentage points.

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*= less than 0.5 percent



1. (ASKED OF HALF SAMPLE, FORM 1) As I read some proposals, please tell me whether you favor or oppose each. First, do you favor or oppose [INSERT ITEM]? Do you feel that way strongly, or somewhat?

Full question wording:

- a. Creating a way for illegal immigrants already here to become citizens if they meet certain requirements
- b. Banning the sale of semi-automatic assault weapons
- c. Ending the war in Afghanistan
- d. New federal policies to address climate change

2/10/13 - Summary Table

	----- Favor -----			----- Oppose -----			No
	NET	Strgly	Smwhat	NET	Smwhat	Strgly	opinion
a. Path to citizenship	70	38	32	27	9	18	3
b. Banning assault weapons	45	35	10	49	12	37	7
c. Ending war in Afghanistan	71	52	18	21	11	10	8
d. Addressing climate change	50	29	21	36	19	18	14

2. (ASKED OF HALF SAMPLE, FORM 2) As I read some proposals Barack Obama has made, please tell me whether you favor or oppose each. First, [INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE] Do you favor or oppose this? [IF RESPONDENT FAVORS OR OPPOSES: Do you feel that way strongly, or somewhat?]

Full question wording:

- a. Obama has proposed creating a way for illegal immigrants already here to become citizens if they meet certain requirements
- b. Obama has proposed banning the sale of semi-automatic assault weapons
- c. Obama has proposed ending the war in Afghanistan
- d. Obama has proposed new federal policies to address climate change



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	----- Favor -----			----- Oppose -----			No
	NET	Strgly	Smwhat	NET	Smwhat	Strgly	opinion
Obama has proposed...							
a. Path to citizenship	59	34	26	35	10	25	5
b. Banning assault weapons	54	42	12	42	9	33	4
c. Ending war in Afghanistan	79	61	18	16	6	10	5
d. Addressing climate change	51	31	20	32	13	19	17

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